

(c) if not, what further action Government propose to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI CHENNAMANENI VIDYASAGAR RAO): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of answer to (a) above.

(c) No action is proposed to be taken by the Government of India.

**Pending cases with Delhi Police**

2785. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL:  
SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:  
SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that more than 10,000 cases are reportedly pending investigation with Delhi Police during the last two years;

(b) whether it is also a fact that according to figures available with Delhi Police, even though percentage of charge-sheets filed by the agency is as high as 73.4 but its conviction rate is as low as 8.7 which is far below AH India average of 19.5 per cent;

(c) if so, what are reasons therefor, indicating till date, area-wise position of pending cases in the Capital; and

(d) what remedial steps Government have taken so far to reduce the pending cases?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI CHENNAMANENI VIDYASAGAR RAO): (a) Yes, Sir.

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(b) and (c) The rate of conviction as reported by Delhi Police during the year 2000 is given below:

	Lower Court Cases Convicted	Session Court 1390
	7946	
Cases Acquitted	10761	2909
Cases Decided	18707	4299
% of Conviction	42.47%	32.33%

The area-wise details of pending cases for the years 1999 and 2000 are given below:

District	1999	2000
North	3	515
North-West	187	3827
Central	52	1139
New Delhi	60	513
East	132	1731
North-East	184	2033
South	780	8075
South-West	266	1660
West	51	2105
Narcotics Crime Prevention	—	1
IGI	47	322
Crime & Railway	7	82
TOTAL:	1769	22003

(d) The senior officers of Delhi Police are regularly monitoring the cases pending investigation for their early disposal.